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Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.									
A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.									
[] A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for [] \$55.00 (2814) [] \$110.00 (1814) to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.									
Small entity status is hereby claimed.									
Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$375.00 (2801) [] \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).									
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No additional claim fee is required.

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[] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS							
	No. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDT'L FEE		
Total Claims	42	MINUS 48 =	0	× \$18.00 (1202) =	0		
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$84.00 (1201) =	0		
If Amendment adds mu	ltiple depend	ent claims, add \$280	.00 (1203)				
Total Amendment Fee					0		
If small entity status is	claimed, sub	tract 50% of Total A	mendment Fe	e			
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]	A claim fee	in the amount of \$	is.	enclosed.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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